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Letter dated 24 July 2002 from the President of the Security Council addressed to the Secretary-General

I have the honour to request you to transmit the text of Security Council resolution 1426 (2002) on the admission of the Swiss Confederation to membership in the United Nations, adopted by the Council at its 4585th meeting on 24 July 2002, to the fifty-seventh session of the General Assembly:

"*The Security Council*,

"*Having examined* the application of the Swiss Confederation for admission to the United Nations (S/2002/801),

"*Recommends* to the General Assembly that the Swiss Confederation be admitted to membership in the United Nations."

In accordance with rule 60, paragraph 2, of the provisional rules of procedure of the Security Council, I also request you to transmit to the fifty-seventh session of the General Assembly, for its information, the verbatim records of the 4584th and 4585th meetings of the Security Council, at which the application of the Swiss Confederation was considered.

(*Signed*) Jeremy **Greenstock**
President of the Security Council

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